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- (A) To add or strengthen a contraindication, warning, precaution, or adverse reaction;
- (B) To add or strengthen a statement about abuse, dependence, psychological effect, or overdosage;
- (C) To add or strengthen an instruction about dosage and administration that is intended to increase the safety of the use of the product; and
- (D) To delete false, misleading, or unsupported indications for use or claims for effectiveness.
- (ii) Pending approval of the supplement by FDA, the applicant may distribute a product with a package insert, package label, or container label bearing such change at the time the supplement is submitted. The supplement shall clearly identify the change being made and include necessary supporting data. The supplement and its mailing cover shall be plainly marked: "Special Labeling Supplement—Changes Being Effected."
- (3) Labeling changes requiring submission in an annual report. (i) An applicant shall submit any final printed package insert, package label, container label, or Medication Guide required under part 208 of this chapter in corporating the following changes in an annual report submitted to FDA each year as provided in paragraph (d)(1) of this section:
- (A) Editorial or similar minor changes;
- (B) A change in the information on how the product is supplied that does not involve a change in the dosage strength or dosage form; and
- (C) A change in the information specified in §208.20(b)(8)(iii) and (b)(8)(iv) of this chapter for a Medication Guide.
- (ii) The applicant may distribute a product with a package insert, package label, or container label bearing such change at the time the change is made.
- (4) Advertisements and promotional labeling. Advertisements and promotional labeling shall be submitted to the Center for Biologics Evaluation and Research in accordance with the requirements set forth in §314.81(b)(3)(i) of this chapter, except that Form FDA-2567 (Transmittal of Labels and Circulars) or an equivalent form shall be used.

- (g) Failure to comply. In addition to other remedies available in law and regulations, in the event of repeated failure of the applicant to comply with this section, FDA may require that the applicant submit a supplement for any proposed change and obtain approval of the supplement by FDA prior to distribution of the product made using the change.
- (h) Administrative review. Under §10.75 of this chapter, an applicant may request internal FDA review of FDA employee decisions under this section.

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§ 601.14 Regulatory submissions in electronic format.

- (a) General. Electronic format submissions must be in a form that FDA can process, review, and archive. FDA will periodically issue guidance on how to provide the electronic submission (e.g., method of transmission, media, file formats, preparation and organization of files.)
- (b) Labeling. The content of labeling required under §201.100(d)(3) of this chapter (commonly referred to as the package insert or professional labeling), including all text, tables, and figures, must be submitted to the agency in electronic format as described in paragraph (a) of this section. This requirement is in addition to the provisions of §§ 601.2(a) and 601.12(f) that require applicants to submit specimens of the labels, enclosures, and containers, or to submit other final printed labeling. Submissions under this paragraph must be made in accordance with part 11 of this chapter except for the requirements of §11.10(a), (c) through (h), and (k), and the corresponding requirements of §11.30.

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§ 601.15 Foreign establishments and products: samples for each importation.

Random samples of each importation, obtained by the District Director of Customs and forwarded to the Director, Center for Biologics Evaluation